

Dear Mr. Calaba

12-11-72

Yes I am the old guy that made the Rubber Chess and could tell you about them. I would or come up and see me, I live right in town on 5 blocks blocks from center of Hood River.

In answer to you #?

- #1 I only made those for Dean.
- #2 They were only one about a year.
- #3 But the coin & money collectors are still writing me for them.
- #3 I don't know how many I made but I think about 400 - I was that used them.

But I couldn't make them fast enough

Money collectors were picking them up

It was sure good money for me.

I put it in the cash register as cash.

If I took a 100 bill out of register and spent chance I never seen it again.

But I took a rubber chess and spent it. It had to come back to me and I made a profit on the sale. If it didn't come

During the 1930s I was in the  
business and had my own business  
to one I had made 1000 profits & 12  
you can't have any better money than that.

We had two banks here the  
first one closed about Feb. 2, 1933  
and I was losing the other was closed  
by the government. All business was up against  
it. I was in Savin Station & Valsey  
as the ~~other~~ ~~change~~ ~~substance~~. ~~But~~

I started as a farmer but it never  
helped me out of the depression.

I was on the Richfield News - At 10 PM  
and I have a job talk about -

I could tell you more but I am 86  
years old and 1/2 blind. So come up and see  
me. I will have operation on my eye in Jan  
so if you come up write to for you come  
I hope you can read it.

Yours Truly  
Hal Neuber

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SHEEP SKIN  
SCRIP

OVER

they put out a scrip  
in these days  
I have a 25¢ D.M.

I don't know if I could find  
one or 2 a few but then not up to  
If I found one she would want more  
than 1.00

2. ~~At~~ Some one in the new ~~is~~ after  
business in Selwicks bought 3 of them  
B. 122 on 34

But I had to open the little  
letter. I left out one page.

I have been thinking of you very much lately  
 and wondering how you are getting on.  
 I hope you are well and happy.  
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 but I have managed to find some time  
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Dear Mr. Calaba 12-11-72

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made the Rubber Checks and could tell  
you about them ?? would on come up and  
see me, I live right in town on 5 blocks  
blocks from center of Hood River.

In answer to your ? ?

#1 I only made them 1.00 denom.

#2 They were only made about a year.

But the coin + money collectors are still  
writing me for them.

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but I dont think around 400. I  
was that ???? then.

God I couldnt make them fast enough

Money collectors were ??????? then and  
it was sure good money for me.

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If I ???? a 1.00 bill ??? of ??????? and  
spent chances I never seen it again.

But I took a rubber check and spent it,  
it had to come back to me and I made  
a profit on the sale. If it didnt come

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to me I had made 1.00 profit  
you can't have any better money than that.

We had two Banks here then. I  
think one closed about Feb-2-1933  
[and I was ??????] The other was closed  
by the government. So all business was up against  
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so that is how I made the rubber checks.

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years old and 1/2 blind. So come up and see  
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so if you come up write before you come.  
Hope you can make it.

Yours Truly  
Hal Nesbit

P.S. Heppner

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Scrip            in those days

OVER            I have a 25¢ Denom.

I dont know if I could find  
one or I a few but then not ??????.  
If I found one then would want more  
than \$1.00

Some one in the ???? ?? ????  
business in Silverton bought 3 of them  
in 1933 on 34

I cant see to write any more

Note I had to open the letter  
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